

I SHOULD WORRY URGED AS REMEDY

Assistant Secretary of Labor
Says Attitude Is Solution of
Unemployment Problem.

"FEARLESS MEN NEEDED"

L. F. Post Declares There Is Not Over-
supply of Men, but Undersupply
of Opportunities.

Unemployment Problem As Louis F. Post Sees It.

"If all the jobless men in this country connected with the manly jobs there would still be many unemployed."

"There is not an oversupply of men, but an undersupply of opportunities."

"There will be unemployment as long as a man is afraid of losing his job."

"When a man can lose a job and not worry that night, knowing that he can secure just as good a job the next morning, then the unemployment problem will be solved. This refers not only to the men who do manual labor, but to all classes."

"Give me eight men and nine jobs and everybody will be comfortable; give me ten men and nine jobs and there will be a surplus of one man."

"Louis F. Post, Assistant Secretary of Labor."

Special to The Washington Herald.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 1.—"Despite these so-called good times, when thousands of men have jobs in munition factories, we still have the unemployed problem," said Louis F. Post, Assistant Secretary of Labor, today at the Bellevue-Stratford.

"We will have the unemployment problem just as long as men are afraid of losing their jobs. When the time comes when a man can lose his job and say, 'I should worry,' knowing that he can get just as good a one the next day, then there will be no such thing as unemployment."

"Mr. Post said that if all the jobless men in the country were put into the manly jobs, there would still be many men without work. He pointed out that as long as this condition exists men will underbid each other, and cause them to be 'afraid of their jobs.'"

"This does not include only the classes who do manual labor," said Mr. Post. "It applies to all classes, up to the highest. There is an undersupply of opportunities, not an oversupply of men. One of the aims of the Department of Labor is to create conditions in which men can make their own jobs. Along this line is the movement to make farmers of the waste ground in cities. The Philadelphia Vacant Lots Cultivation Association is doing a great work in this line."

"Every social organism needs medicine at certain times. When the unemployment problem is acute then it needs medicine badly. Associations to encourage the cultivation of vacant lots are a social science what a preventive medicine is to mankind. Men out of work who might become criminals are a social science what a preventive medicine is to mankind."

"Mr. Post said that it is his belief that the ownership of land and the employment problem are at the bottom of all the unrest and disorder in Mexico."

**BANKERS OF ILLINOIS
URGE PREPAREDNESS**

Overwhelming Vote in Secret Ballot
Favors Stronger Navy and
Bigger Army.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Chicago, April 1.—An overwhelming percentage of the bankers of Illinois have signified to the Illinois Bankers' Association, in a secret ballot, that they are in favor of national preparedness, and of enlarging and strengthening the army and navy.

Congress should be guided by the recommendations of army and navy officers who are experts on the subject, the sentiment expressed by the voters. The result of the ballot was sent today to Congressman Mann.

The vote showed 572 favored enlarging the navy, 25 opposed; 579 favored enlarging the army, 26 opposed; sixteen qualified their answers by saying "to a certain."

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CAR BARN THREATENED AS OIL HOUSE BURNS

Spectacular Blaze at W. R. & E.
Plant—Seven Porches De-
stroyed by Fire.

Fire broke out in an oil house adjoining the barn of the Washington Railway & Electric Company at Fifteenth and L streets northeast, shortly after 7 o'clock last night, but was extinguished before it could spread to the main building. The burning oil, used on the cars, made a spectacular blaze. The damage amounted to \$150. Battalion Chief Proctor led the firemen.

Eugene Bastian, chief of the Lafayette hotel, narrowly escaped being burnt to death when fire broke out in his apartment on the Army and Navy lunch room at 1707 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, yesterday. Bastian was awakened by the clang of fire bells, and dashed from the burning room. The fire did \$2,000 damage.

Fire destroyed the frame porches on the rear of seven houses in Tennessee avenue northeast. The damage is estimated at \$1,800. The cause of the fire could not be learned. It swept along from 437 to 439, 439 1/2, 441, 443, 445 and 1412 Duncan street.

**DIAZ NOW IN MEXICO,
PRIVATE ADVICES SAY**

Chief Men of Nation Said to Be Behind Movement—Financial Backing Secured.

The colony of Mexican exiles here has received private advice confirming the report of the landing of Felix Diaz and his military expedition on the Mexican Gulf coast near the line that separates the states of Tabasco and Campeche.

It was stated yesterday that the Diaz movement is more formidable than has been suspected by any save high government officials, and that its supporters are the chief men of Mexico. The European representative is said to be Jose Yves Limantour, who was secretary of finance in the Porfirio Diaz administration, and Francisco de la Barra, now in New York. It is asserted, in charge of the Diaz interests in the United States.

These two men, it is declared, are the instruments through which the sinews of war have been subscribed, and it is stated here that the financial backing of the enterprise is sufficient to carry it to success.

According to Mexicans in Washington, who believe the Carranza government is ephemeral, De la Barra, who understands American politics and sentiment thoroughly, having been both Ambassador to the United States and provisional president of Mexico, line is the strongest head of the Diaz venture. It is declared that he, with Limantour, has brought to the aid of the movement the sympathies of the great families of Mexico.

400 Buy Ball Game Seats.

Secretary Grant of the Chamber of Commerce, announced yesterday that 400 members of the chamber had taken tickets for the game of baseball April 20, which opens the American League season in Washington.

District Commissioners Brownlow and Newman and Maj. Pullman, superintendent of police, will be the guests of P. T. Moran, president of the chamber, at the game.

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MAY HAND VILLA TO FIRST CHIEF

Carranza Probably Will Be
Asked by U. S. to Kill
Bandit When Caught.

A CLEVER SOLUTION

Disposition of Case Would Show that
Americans Do Not Care to Inter-
fere with De Facto Rule.

The question of what disposition will be made of Francisco Villa, master bandit, should he be captured alive by the American forces, was widely discussed here yesterday. Officials, while making it plain that the matter would not be taken up officially until the outcome of the general campaign is known, inclined to the belief that no matter what the outcome, if Villa is taken alive by Americans, he will be turned over to the Mexican authorities for courtmartial and execution.

It is known that sources close to President Wilson take the view that by doing so the good faith of the United States in its declarations that it in no way desires to interfere with the constituted government in Mexico would be even more manifest than before.

Villa, executed by Carranza would do much to stamp out brigandage in Mexico, officials say. And they declare that it also would remove a real source of trouble for the United States, inasmuch as if Villa were taken back to Columbus, N. Mex., for trial for the attack on that town, certain elements in the United States would rally to his defense.

In the first three weeks of the recruiting campaign to increase the United States army to war strength, 2,250 men were enlisted out of a total of 3,388 applying for enlistment. For the week ended March 31 there were 3,388 applicants and 861 accepted.

Adj. Gen. McAlin expects an increase in recruiting to follow the success of the expedition against Villa.

Chicago led the list this week with seventy-five accepted recruits. San Francisco was second with 66. New York had 64, Indianapolis, 33; St. Louis, 34; Philadelphia, 33; Charlotte, N. C., 29; Atlanta, 23; and Kansas City, 23. There were ninety-seven applicants in Boston, but only thirteen were accepted, and fifty applicants in Los Angeles, of whom twelve were accepted.

**WEEKS OF RECRUITING
YIELD ONLY 2,250 MEN**

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WANAMAKER TO TRY TO FLY ACROSS ATLANTIC

Will Make Attempt in June in 1,000
Horsepower Hydroplane
Built by Curtis.

Special to The Washington Herald.

New York, April 1.—Rodman Wanamaker will attempt a flight across the Atlantic next June in a 1,000 horse power hydroplane. The announcement was made today by Alan R. Hawley, president of the Aero Club of America.

The machine is nearing completion in the Curtis factories. It is similar in type to, but more powerful than the "America," in which Wanamaker was planning a flight just before the outbreak of the war.

The "America" later was destroyed in trial flights. The new plane will carry twenty men.

WINDOW CONTEST IS POSTPONED A WEEK

Chamber of Commerce Competition
Will Be Held on Thursday, Fri-
day and Saturday of Next Week.

The window display contest to have been conducted Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week by the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday was postponed to Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. The postponement was agreed upon at a meeting of the contestants in the chamber's headquarters.

The competitors in the contest number 130. It was declared more firms would enter if the contest dates were changed to next week. The competitors, who were to have selected the judges for the con-

test yesterday, also decided to defer that action to a future date. The Window Dressers' Club, which meets tomorrow night, will advance suggestions as to a method for the selection of the judges. The six prizes to be awarded in the contest have been offered by the International Correspondence School.

CARRANZA REGULATES FINANCE.

Continues Present Paper Money in Effect Until Next August.

Guatemala, Mexico, April 1.—Gen. Carranza has sent to all state governors a decree that the present constitutional paper money shall continue to be legal tender until July 2, despite the fact that new paper probably will be in circulation before that time.

The chief executive has also directed that the contents of all business houses that close in the future, shall be sold under government direction.

**"ARCHIE" ROOSEVELT
EXPLAINS EXPULSION**

Says 'Frightful Mistake' Caused Failure to Pay \$5 Laboratory Bill at Harvard.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Cambridge, Mass., April 1.—The temporary expulsion from Harvard of "Archie" Roosevelt, third son of the Colonel, was a "frightful mistake," he said today.

"I sent Burrar Mason a check for my tuition in February," said "Archie," "not knowing there was any charge for laboratory work. Imagine my surprise when I received a communication from Recorder Cram to sever my connections with the university unless I paid the laboratory bill. I paid the account."

The original charge against Roosevelt was \$5.

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Ivory Enamelled Dresser, with Tuna mahogany base top; Queen Anne design; finely finished; 44 inches wide; with French plate mirror, 24x30..... **\$45.00**

Chiffonier, to match, 34 inches wide; French plate mirror, 16x20..... **\$43.00**

Oak Dresser; 4-drawer base; excellent stock and finish; French plate mirror..... **\$11.50**

Oak Chiffonier, to match; 6-drawer base; French plate mirror..... **\$11.50**

Oak Dresser, Colonial design; large, roomy base; with French plate mirror..... **\$22.00**

Oak Chiffonier, to match; with French plate mirror..... **\$18.50**

Dull-finished Mahogany Dresser; in Colonial scroll design; 42 inches wide; with French plate mirror, 24x30..... **\$30.00**

Chiffonier, to match; 22 inches wide; French plate mirror, 16x20..... **\$28.00**

Single and Matched Dining-room Pieces

Mahogany-finish Buffet; Colonial design; French plate mirror..... **\$36.00**

China Closet to match, with square ends..... **\$32.00**

Six-foot dining Table, to match; 48 in.; round plank top; octagonal pedestal base..... **\$38.00**

Quarter-sawed Oak Buffet; polish finish; French bevel plate mirror..... **\$22.00**

Mahogany Buffet; Adam design; 54 in. wide; with French plate mirror, 12x50; fine cabinet work and finish; Mahogany drawer bottoms..... **\$64.00**

Dull-finished Mahogany Dresser; Louis XVI design; high-grade work; mahogany drawer bottoms; 46 inches wide; French plate mirror, 24x30..... **\$50.00**

Chiffonier, to match; 36 inches wide; French plate mirror, 20x28..... **\$50.00**

Mahogany Dresser; antique finish; Chinese Chippendale design; very best of cabinet work throughout; 45 in. wide; with French plate mirror, 30x40..... **\$64.00**

Chiffonier to match 34 in. wide..... **\$45.00**

Dull finish Mahogany Dresser, Queen Anne design; 44 in. wide; French plate mirror, 28x32..... **\$65.00**

Chiffonier to match 34 in. wide; French plate mirror..... **\$60.00**

Dull-finish Dresser, Sheraton design; swelled front with urn inlay in base and mirror frame, 50 in. wide; French plate mirror, 28x36..... **\$68.00**

Chiffonier to match 36 in. wide; French plate mirror, 18x22..... **\$58.00**

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